

## House Resolution No. 1581

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

**Whereas**, Stephen Luke Ruble of Nixa, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held in May 2004 at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Springfield; and

**Whereas**, Stephen, a member of Boy Scout Troop 620, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved erecting a flagpole on the grounds of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints; and

**Whereas**, during his three and one-half years in Scouting, Stephen mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn twenty-one merit badges; and

**Whereas**, Stephen demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Librarian and Chaplain Aide; and

**Whereas**, the son of Luke T. and Celia A. Ruble, Stephen developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers; and

**Whereas**, Stephen's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Stephen Ruble for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Stephen Luke Ruble.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Jerry Bough  
District No. 142

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1581, adopted April 7, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker